

Appendix 3: Coastal Accommodation Business (CABs) Sur

20. In NSW, which type of coasts do you think are MOST susceptible to damage caused by coastal inundation? Please rank your top 3 (e.g. 1,2,3)

Shorelines of natural, undeveloped estuaries		Mangroves, salt marshes	
Cliffs and headlands			

23. Generally speaking, do you think the chance of coastal erosion occurring in NSW will decrease, stay about the same, or increase over the next 20 years?

Increase

Stay about the same

Decrease

In early June 2016, the NSW coast experienced a major coastal storm that lasted several days, generating large and powerful waves that impacted the coast, with heavy rainfall. Significant damage to property, erosion on almost all beaches facing the ocean and with areas of coastal inundation.

24. How often do you think storms like this occur?

About once every 100 years

About once every 50 years

About once every 20 years

About once every 5 years

About once per year

More than once per year

Not sure

29. Generally speaking, when damage occurs, who should pay for clean-up and repair?
 (Please rank your top 3, e.g. 1,2,3)

No one, nature in unpredictable	
The owners of properties that were damaged	
The local council where the damage occurred	
State government	
Federal government	
Insurance companies	

Section 3: Coastal Management

To prevent similar damage in the future, councils are required to consider natural, or soft, solutions, before they consider human-made constructions, or hard solutions.

30. Which coastal management options do you think are the best way to manage damage by coastal inundation? Please rank your top 3 (e.g. 1,2,3)

Do nothing, leave it alone		Build houses higher and stronger	
Add sand to the beach, often called beach nourishment		Build an artificial reef offshore, beyond the breaking waves	

Build a long, narrow pile of ricks sticking out from the beach (often called a groyne		Government purchase of any land directly at risk of future flooding	
Build a wall, or place rocks, along the back of the beach, in front of the houses (often called a seawall)			

Posters around the accommodation site

Emergency Services leaflet		Create our own information guides	
Incorporate information into booking correspondence		Surf Life Saving information	
Folded card/fridge magnet			

41. In relation to your business, which topics would you like to know more about? (select all that apply)

None		Extreme high tides	
Actions I can take to reduce coastal hazard risk to my business		Sea level rise	
Who to contact in case of an emergency related to coastal erosion or coastal flooding		Coastal storms	
How coastal hazards work (like erosion and inundation)		Insurance availability	
The impacts of climate change on my coast		Solutions e.g seawalls, beach nourishment, managed retreat	
General coastal safety/beach safety		Other	

42. Do you have anything else you would like to add about coastal erosion, coastal inundation, coastal storms or sea level rise, as it relates to your business?

43. Would you be happy to be involved in any further discussions with us, including group discussions or interviews?

Yes

No

END OF SURVEY

Thank you for taking part in our survey. If you would like to receive information from UNSW regarding the